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**Subject:** FW: Sept. 14?  
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Lon:

I just received a phone call from Nayak and he will be in the Seattle area from Sept. 12 through Sept. 24. We are trying to schedule a briefing with Vince Gallucci, professor at the Univ. of WA, for September 14th. I have the Inter-Agency Agreement with Vince to fund Nayak's work—Vince is a statistician/mathematician within the Aquatic and Fisher Sciences program at the Univ and is a personal friend of Nayak. I think you may find the conversation/discussion of interest. Please note this tentative date on your calendar, I will keep you informed if the meeting materializes. I have included a link noting some of Dr. Gallucci's research interests:

<http://fish.washington.edu/people/gallucci/>

Regards/Craig

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**From:** Casey Olives [mailto:colives@u.washington.edu]  
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Hi Nayak,

Thank you for the invitation. I would like to have my review nearly finalized by that point. However, I will happily join you for this meeting in the interest of gaining additional insights into your approach regarding this work. I am free on September 14th, although the morning is preferable to the afternoon.

Additionally, I would like to arrange a time to discuss with you some of the technical points which were raised in our initial discussion (re: diagnostics), as I'd like to include some more specific suggestions in my review. Is there a time between now and the 14th that we could arrange a conference call with you and anyone from your team that you would like to discuss those detail? Thursdays and Fridays tend to be the best for me.

Best,  
Casey

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**From:** Nayak Polissar <[nayak@mwlight.com](mailto:nayak@mwlight.com)>  
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Hi Casey,

Again, thanks for your really nice (helpful) review.

Vince Gallucci (a world figure in fisheries science) is the PI for the UW umbrella under which my fish activity falls. He has been away and is now back. I will be briefing him on what is up, including the major points from your review. Vince is brilliant, experienced and practical. You may wish to be there (you are certainly invited!) He may raise some good points.

On the other hand, you are facing (or maybe it happened!) a life-changing event, and it needs its due attention.

So, do you wish to attend, and, if so, how is your world looking in terms of a potential meeting on 9/14 (time?) It would probably be 1-1.5 hrs.

Best wishes,

Nayak

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